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CALL ON ROOSEVELT

MEMBERS OF THE SENATE SUB-COMMITTEE ON FINANCE VISIT THE PRESIDENT.

TO ASCERTAIN HIS OPINION

DESIRE TO EMBODY HIS VIEWS, IF POSSIBLE, IN PROPOSED CURRENCY BILL.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 12.—President Roosevelt has as his guests at Sagamore Hill the members of the subcommittee of the senate committee on finance that is engaged in drafting a currency measure to be submitted to congress next fall. The subcommittee consists of Senators Aldrich of Rhode Island, chairman; Platt of Connecticut; Allison of Iowa and Spooner of Wisconsin.

Prior to the adjournment of congress last spring this subcommittee was appointed and authorized to sit during the recess of congress to study the financial situation and prepare a measure to meet the requirements of the situation as the committee viewed it, for introduction when the senate should reconvene. On this work the committee, some times as individuals, part of the time as a body, has engaged during the latter part of the summer. For a day or two the members have been the guests of Senator Aldrich at his Warwick residence near Providence. They are preparing now to put into concrete form the results of their investigation and labor.

Desiring to consult with President Roosevelt regarding the work, the subcommittee came to Oyster Bay late Wednesday afternoon.

It could not be ascertained definitely whether a draft of a currency measure had been made and was to be discussed tonight or not; but, as the senators have been engaged for two days at Warwick with their clerks and stenographers, it is reasonably certain that some progress had been made toward the preparation of a currency bill.

To Ascertain Roosevelt's Views.

The object of the committee is to ascertain the views of President Roosevelt with definiteness in order, if possible, to meet them in the framing of the measure. It is understood to be the desire of all, including the president, that the bill should be ready for introduction at the extraordinary session which the president has announced he will call for Monday, Nov. 9.

Prior to that time the subcommittee will submit its draft of the proposed measure to the full Republican membership of the senate committee on finance and probably to such other Republican senators as may be accessible. It is hoped that a measure may be drawn that will meet the approval of all Republican senators so that when it is introduced it may have the undivided party support.

It can be said that the president is not wedded to any particular plan of currency reform, so-called, but desires, simply that a practicable scheme be evolved and put into the form of legislation at an early date that will render the currency system of the country the more elastic and the less likely to be affected by the fluctuations of values or the demands for money at crop moving seasons.

It is stated to be unlikely that any definite information concerning the work of the subcommittee already accomplished will be given to the public at this time.

HIGH WINDS IN CUBA.

No Damage of Any Importance Yet Reported.

Havana, Aug. 13.—While high winds and threatening conditions prevail in all the provinces of Cuba, there have been no reports up to date of any important damage. There was some destruction of crops and small buildings in the province of Pinar del Rio where the wind appears to have been strongest.

VESSEL FIRED UPON

A CANADIAN REVENUE CUTTER BOMBARDS AMERICAN FISHING BOAT.

Erie, Pa., Aug. 13.—The Silver Spray, a fishing boat owned here, came into port Wednesday afternoon in a badly battered condition, due to an encounter in midlake at noon with the Canadian revenue cutter Petrel.

The Canadian authorities have had trouble with American fishermen for years, who were poaching on their side of the lake and the Petrel is kept constantly on the lookout for them.

At noon she came upon the Silver Spray on the Canadian side of the lake, and at once ordered Captain Chris Chau to stop. The Petrel is a strong steel craft, and it is said attempted to ram the American boat before she could comply with the Petrel's order. Captain Chau, remembering the fate of several other boats from this side, which had been captured and confiscated, two from Erie, only last season, decided to try to escape and started ahead at full speed.

The captain of the Petrel, when he saw that the Silver Spray was trying to get away, opened fire with all the guns he had on board, and before he ceased firing some twenty shots had struck her. One passed through the smokestack into the pilothouse, in which Captain Chau stood at the wheel, and two more struck the pilothouse, one of which came within a few inches of Chau, scattering splinters around his head.

Vessel Riddled With Shot.

Two shots entered the water closet, two pierced the cabin, two split the roof, three swept the after hurricane deck, while others hit various parts of the boat.

The chase was kept up for some time and Captain Chau was nearly in despair, as his cold water pump refused to work and he feared that his boat might be struck below the water line. He finally crossed the international line and the Petrel gave up the pursuit.

The Silver Spray is a double-decker and for twelve years was in service at Buffalo as a pleasure steamer.

Captain Chau will report the affair to the state department at Washington, as he says he was only looking for some of his nets, which had drifted from this side toward the Canadian shore.

A large number of American fishing tugs have been confiscated by the Canadian government, one however, belonging at Dunkirk, was a few days ago ordered returned by Secretary of State Hay.

The only man injured on the Silver Spray was Frederick Culver, who was hit in the leg by a shot. He is now in the hospital. The fishermen say the Petrel used her small deck cannon.

MASSACHUSETTS DAMAGED.

Big Battleship Strikes on a Ledge of Rocks in Bar Harbor, Me.

Bar Harbor, Me., Aug. 13.—While leaving the harbor during a thick fog about noon Wednesday in company with other vessels of the North Atlantic squadron, the battleship Massachusetts, making about nine and a half knots, sustained considerable damage by striking on the ledge of rocks of the western end of Egg Rock. The big vessel slipped over the rocks into deep water, but the two forward bulkheads soon filled, and it was subsequently found that several plates forward had been cracked. The Massachusetts was headed back into the harbor with considerable difficulty, accompanied by her sister vessel, the Indiana, and the gunboat Scorpion. She will remain here until Captain Manning, her commander, receives orders from Washington, when it is expected she will proceed to Brooklyn to be drydocked.

It is believed that the accident was due to a miscalculation of her position on the part of the navigating officer.

The squadron, under the command of Rear Admiral Barker, which has been on this part of the coast engaged in a war game, was bound for Long Island sound, where there will be tactical exercises previous to an inspection and review next Monday by President Roosevelt, Secretary Moody and Admiral Dewey.

TOOK BANK'S MONEY

DULUTH MAN ADMITS EMBEZZLING FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

HAD SPECULATED IN STOCKS

COVERED HIS PECULATIONS FOR EIGHT MONTHS BY MANIPULATING BOOKS.

Duluth, Aug. 13.—E. E. Johnson, bookkeeper for the Commercial Banking company of this city, was arrested here last evening on a warrant charging him with the embezzlement of \$45,000 of the bank's money.

When placed in jail Johnson admitted his guilt and claimed that he had been able to deceive his employers by a manipulation of the books.

Asked as to what he had done with so much money he declared that he had squandered it in stock speculations and that not a dollar of the amount was saved.

President Charles F. Leland of the Commercial Banking company said last evening that he had hoped to tide over the affairs of the bank so that it could continue doing business, but found that this was impossible and the institution therefore will not be open for business.

"I am a ruined man," said he, "and the efforts of years have been wiped out by the embezzlement. I trusted Johnson as I would one of my own sons, and when the truth dawned upon me that he had taken the money it was all that I could do to believe it."

Johnson is twenty-eight years old, unmarried and the son of J. P. Johnson, clerk of the court of St. Louis county, and an old and much respected citizen.

The Commercial Banking company is a small private institution with a capital stock of only \$25,000. Mr. Leland was not prepared to make a statement last night as to how the depositors would fare.

EAT POISONED MEAT.

Fifty Persons Taken Violently Ill at Luncheon of Senator Stewart.

Washington, Aug. 13.—A remarkable case of ptomaine poisoning is reported from Ashburn, Va., some twenty miles outside of Washington. A large number of persons had gathered to attend the sale of the dairy farm owned by Senator Stewart of Nevada. The senator served to the prospective buyers a light luncheon, consisting of coffee, ham and beef sandwiches. Shortly afterwards at least fifty persons were taken violently ill, suffering from ptomaine poisoning. One after another they fell to the ground, writhing in agony. Horsemen were dispatched in all directions for doctors and a number responded and prompt measures were taken to relieve the sufferers.

In a statement issued at 11 o'clock last night, the doctors said their patients were out of danger, although many still are quite ill. An investigation developed the fact that the beef, which had been purchased in Washington and kept in cold storage on the farm for several days, was the cause of the trouble.

TO RECLAIM ARID LAND.

Award of Big Irrigating Canal Contract Approved.

Washington, Aug. 13.—The secretary of the interior has approved the award of contract for the construction of an irrigating canal to connect the Truckee and Carson rivers in Nevada, to Charles A. Warren & Co. of San Francisco, and E. B. & A. L. Stone Co. of Oakland, Cal., at an aggregate cost of \$942,437. This is the first definite action taken by the department looking to actual construction under the reclamation act. The proposed canal will be thirty miles in length. Its main purpose is to carry the waters of the Truckee river to a reservoir to be constructed in the valley of Carson river. Incidentally about 8,000 acres of land under the canal will be irrigated by it. Ultimately the project is expected to reclaim about 300,000 acres of arid lands in Western Nevada and Eastern California, including the old Forty-mile desert.

SAVED FROM A MOB.

Texas Negro Rescued, After Being Strung Up.

Whitesboro, Tex., Aug. 12.—An attempted assault Wednesday on Mrs. Hart caused the arrest of eight negroes, seven of whom were released. The other was held for identification. Last night a mob took possession of him and hanged him to a limb of a tree. He was not unconscious when officers arrived from Sherman and, making their way through the mob with a rush, cut the negro down. They hurried the prisoner to Sherman, but there is talk of going there to take him from the jail.

After the negro had been forcibly taken from the mob, its members began to terrify the colored inhabitants of the town. Guns were fired promiscuously in the negro quarters and the terror-stricken negroes were ordered to leave town at once. As a result outgoing trains on all roads were filled with negroes.

NEGOTIATIONS COMPLETED.

New Interests Identified With Seaboard Air Line.

New York, Aug. 13.—Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co. announce that they have completed negotiations whereby new and important interests have become identified with the Seaboard Air Line Railroad company. B. F. Yoakum and H. Clay Pierce and B. F. Guinness of Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co. and Oakleigh Thorne, president of the North American Trust company, have been elected voting trustees of the Seaboard Air Line railway. President John Skelton Williams also announces that B. F. Yoakum, H. Clay Pierce and S. B. Van Vorst have been elected directors of the Seaboard Air Line railway.

Mr. Yoakum is president of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad.

The official announcement of the deal also said: "The change of personnel of voting trustees of the stock of the Seaboard Air line company does not mean the purchase of the company by Rock Island of Frisco interests, although the Frisco lines extend into Birmingham, and are a part of the Southern situation. It does, however, emphasize the fact that all the great railway systems are carrying out the policy of more closely cementing the railway transportation interests of the country, which will greatly retard and it is hoped entirely prevent demoralization of the rate situation or the unnecessary construction and duplication of property."

The Seaboard Air Line Railway company operates 2,611 miles of road.

Blinded by Lime Dust.

St. Paul, Aug. 13.—After riding for twelve hours locked in an unloaded box car filled with the dust and siftings of market lime, James Welch, a tramp, who claims Batavia, N. Y., as his home, was helped from his prison yesterday morning by employees of the Great Western. Unconscious, blinded and helpless the man was cared for and may recover his sight. His skin is now bleached and is as white and soft as that of a woman.

DEATH LIST IS LARGE

FIFTY PEOPLE PERISH IN THE HURRICANE ON ISLAND OF JAMAICA.

Kingston, Jamaica, Aug. 13.—The effects of the hurricane on the island of Jamaica were greater than at first believed. Port Antonio, on the north coast, was overwhelmed. Only six houses were left standing there. The United Fruit company's wharves, offices, hotel and plantations were utterly demolished. Five of the company's steamers were driven ashore, but are lying in easy positions. Port Maria, another town on the north coast, also suffered severely. The coast is strewn with wreckage of local sailing vessels.

The entire eastern end of the island has been devastated. Villages have been wiped out and public buildings and churches demolished. Thousands of the peasantry, rendered homeless and destitute, are wandering about seeking food and shelter. The destruction of the banana plantations has been complete and the fruit trade is paralyzed for the next twelve months. Hundreds of prosperous fruit growers have been brought to bankruptcy and ruin.

The western end of the island, which was at first supposed had escaped, also suffered considerably, though not to the extent which the eastern did. New banana plantations planted there were partly destroyed and the orange and coffee crops were also injured.

The Norwegian steamer Salvadore di Giorli was driven ashore at Annotta Bay and lies in a dangerous position. Several sailing vessels were wrecked on the north side. It is still stormy and threatening and there are fears that there may be a renewal of the storm. Torrential rains have increased the misery of the poor and homeless. Thousands of houses in Kingston were damaged, the wharves were battered and several coasting vessels were sunk in the harbor.

Trade is practically at a standstill. The southeastern portions of the island have been denuded of crops, the rivers are flooded and many men have been carried out to sea and drowned. Considering damage to property during the hurricane, the loss of life was comparatively small, though the present estimate now is that the death list will reach fifty. Hundreds of persons were injured. The property loss is \$19,000,000.

NARROW ESCAPE FOR FAMILY.

Houseboat Sunk by Raft of Logs at La Crosse, Wis.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 13.—The steamer Saturn and a heavy raft of logs Wednesday crashed into a launch and house boat occupied by Emil Ruprecht and family of six, and stove two holes in the craft, which went to the bottom of the river and precipitated the occupants into the Mississippi.

The houseboat was ground to pieces by the raft, and the family narrowly escaped being drowned before the eyes of the crew of the boat. Rescuers were sent in skiffs, and the struggling people were taken from the water.

Taft Refuses to Talk.

Manila, Aug. 13.—Governor General William H. Taft refuses to discuss his probable appointment as secretary of war when Elhu Root retires, saying he has not yet been offered the appointment. It is generally believed here that Governor Taft does not wish to leave the Philippines until numerous problems now pending are solved.

OBTAINING RECRUITS

MACEDONIAN RANKS BEING REINFORCED BY ROUMANIANS AND GREEKS.

APPROACHES DANGER POINT

SITUATION MAY SOON BECOME TOO GRAVE FOR THE BULGARIAN CABINET.

Sofia, Aug. 13.—Representatives of the Macedonian committee say that the Roumanian and Greek inhabitants of a number of villages have joined the insurgents and that the Mohammedans are taking refuge in the cities and towns. At Krushevo, the revolutionists have seized the repeating rifles and ammunition stored in the magazine.

The Bulgarian government charges Turkey with doing less to prevent the insurgents from crossing the frontier than Bulgaria, though Turkey maintains four times as many troops along the border.

It is everywhere declared that the present ministry is doing its utmost to check the revolutionary movement, but the situation is reaching a point where circumstances may prove too strong for the cabinet. The growing economic depression in the country constitutes a dangerous factor in the situation. The influx of thousands of Macedonians across the border has disorganized the labor market and has become a cause of great discontent. The commercial classes state that the present condition of affairs is no longer endurable. Even war, whatever might be the result, would be preferable, as it would be followed by a period of rest. The ministry is certainly confronted with a complicated problem.

WILL MAKE REPRESENTATIONS.

Austrian Officials to Warn Turkey and Bulgaria.

Vienna, Aug. 13.—Notwithstanding the increasing number of reports of outbreaks in the Balkans, official circles begin to manifest a more confident attitude. Serious representations will again be made to Turkey and Bulgaria which, it is hoped, will prove efficacious.

Nevertheless, it is admitted that some untoward incident may easily precipitate disaster.

Dispatches from Belgrade, Serbia, announce that three members of the cabinet, representing the Radical element in Serbia, have resigned. This is regarded as a sign of victory for the military party.

Statements from Bulgarian sources assert that the revolutionists possess 35,000 rifles, 15,000,000 cartridges and four tons of dynamite; that the insurgents number 25,000 of whom 10,000 are in the valley of Monastir.

Cettinje, Montenegro, Aug. 13.—The Servians throughout Old Serbia are in a state of panic because of the departure of the Turkish troops for Monastir, which removes all protection from the Servians against the vengeance of the Albanians.

It is reported that Ferid Pasha, while leaving Epeke with Turkish troops, was attacked by Albanians and severely wounded.

London, Aug. 13.—The Times prints a dispatch from Sofia which says that the Turkish authorities at Uskub have distributed 5,000 rifles to the Mohammedan population, which already threatens Christians with massacres.

COAL AND TIMBER RATES.

Reduction Must Become Effective in Minnesota Soon.

St. Paul, Aug. 13.—The Minnesota state railroad and warehouse commission is determined that the reduction in coal and lumber rates ordered June 26 shall become effective before the heavy fall traffic in these commodities begins, and has notified the railroads operating in Minnesota that a final hearing will be held Aug. 18 to pass upon any mooted points of the general reduction ordered in the spring.

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 13, 1903.

Weather

Rain and warmer.



DELUTH policemen are required to play ball for exercise.

REV. SAM JONES recommends that the democrats do not hold any convention next year as it would be a saving of time and whisky.

MINNESOTA'S permanent school fund is now \$15,000,000, the largest of any state in the union except Texas. The average rate of interest is 4 per cent.

JUDGING from the number of "sure thing" games that have floated into Brainerd this summer one would imagine that the city had a reputation for suckers.

AN order has been issued, for men only, on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad forbidding their employees to flirt while on duty. This is getting to be a cruel world.

THE Stillwater Gazette says there are quite a number of Indians who profess religion and join a church when they become enfeebled by age and cannot join the scalping parties.

THE Graceville Enterprise thinks it would be a relief indeed if Governor Van Sant, Bob Dunn, Frank Eddy and Joel Heatwole would come out flatfooted and say whether they are candidates for the governorship in 1905.

CHARLIE TOWNE is so well known in this section that the following from a New York paper is appreciated: "Towne, when he went out of politics, went to New York and got interested in a Texas oil company. He did well. In a little while he had a series of wells spouting oil at a terrific rate. The Standard agents, as the story runs, learned that some of the greatest producers among the Towne wells were about to give out. The Standard has its own way of knowing things about other people's oil business before the other people find them out. Anyhow, being convinced on this point, the Standard contracted to take a certain number of millions of barrels of oil at 15 cents a barrel from Towne. It was a fancy price and meant wealth for Towne's company. But the Standard attached a penalty clause, penalizing the Towne company a fixed amount per barrel for all of the contracted amount it failed to deliver. The contract was just comfortably in operation when the big Towne wells began spouting salt water. Now the best of them have run out and there is no chance of filling the orders. Mr. Towne, according to report, is the chief victim of the collapse."

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

J. M. Graham, of Duluth, is in the city.

Rev. N. P. Gleemaker left for Aitkin this afternoon.

Mrs. W. A. Spencer left for St. Cloud this afternoon for a visit.

J. N. Waldrop was in the city yesterday for a short time on business.

Mrs. Rodeen, of Pillager, returned home today after a pleasant visit in the city.

Mrs. J. Smith, who has been visiting in the city, returned to Deerwood this afternoon.

Miss Emily Quinn left for the Twin cities today for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. E. Brockway left this afternoon for Pillager where she will visit for a short time.

Miss Minnie Splen left for her home in Superior this afternoon after a pleasant visit in the city.

Miss Lena Nelson and Miss Sather, of Minneapolis, are in the city guests of Mrs. A. F. Sorenson.

Miss Anna Stitchen, of St. Cloud, is visiting the Misses McFadden, 409, Fourth street north.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gilmer have moved to Brainerd now and are cosily situated in their new home on the south side.

George Bell came in from Minneapolis this afternoon. He was a delegate to the Red Men's pow wow in that city.

Miss Maggie Bridgeman, of Perham, who has been visiting her brother, M. Bridgeman, left for her home this afternoon.

Contractor Fred Krentz, of St. Cloud, came down from the north this morning and left for his home this noon on No. 6.

Mayor Kinkle, of Walker, passed through the city today on the way home from Pillager where he has been on business.

The fronts of the Gruenhagen and Koop buildings on Seventh street have been repainted and present a very neat appearance.

Mrs. Lizzie Wiegard and Mrs. Fred Schleuter, of Beardstown, Ill., are in the city guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dickhouse. They are sisters of Mr. Dickhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gillis and daughter, of Minneapolis, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Blake and daughter, of Little Falls, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Miller this week.

John Gilmer shipped a carload of horses today to Grafton, N. D. They will be put in the harvest fields and shipped back again in the fall for the winter work in the woods.

Mrs. Martha Carpenter, who has been visiting in the city with her sister, Mrs. William Murray, returned to her home in Ohio this afternoon. Mrs. Murray went as far as St. Paul for a visit.

Ponita and Frances, palmists and fortune tellers, owing to their large amount of business will remain a few days longer. Do not fail to consult these people while here. Tents located corner of 8th and Front Sts. Price 25c.

Judge Alderman left this afternoon for Backus where he will appear before United States Commissioner Scribner in a land contest case. The case involves a valuable quarter six miles from Backus. The case is entitled Frank Hays vs Patrick Memeough.

On Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Losey entertained a party of friends at their home on Fourth street north. The guests present were Rev. and Mrs. Richard Brown and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Dean, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Moberg and Mr. Peterson. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Yager came up from Minneapolis this afternoon.

Landlord Gann, of Backus, is in the city on business.

W. C. Andrew, the veteran paper man, was in the city today on business.

Architect J. Fredlander, of Grand Forks, is in the city on business.

Hon. A. F. Ferris returned last night from St. Paul where he has been on business.

Miss Cecile Rathvon, of Deewood, is visiting in the city the guest of Miss Vivian Jordan.

Parker Waite has been elected treasurer of the Cass county independent school district, to succeed C. H. William, deceased.

W. A. Spencer who has been on the sick list for a few days, is much improved today and will be able to be out in a day or two.

Mrs. Kit Lightfoot and Mrs. Murphy returned from St. Paul this afternoon where they visited for a few days with friends and relatives.

Landlord Hillstead, of Aitkin, passed through the city this afternoon en route home from Park Rapids where he has been on business.

Hon. R. B. Brower, of St. Cloud, spent the morning in the city having returned from Aitkin where he has been on legal business. He left for his home this afternoon.

The "Hunting for Hawkins" company booked for the Brainerd opera house tonight has cancelled its date. "A Texas Steer" will positively appear here tomorrow night.

Miss Clara Small delightfully entertained at her home on the north side last evening. The following were the guests: Misses Winnifred Cole, Majorie Cole, Eloise Smith, Winnifred Smith, Kitty Keene, Kitty Walker, Edna Stickney, Bess Burgoyne and Carrie Morrison. Messrs. C. A. Albright, Harold Smith, J. Ralph Nevers, Howard Isham, Dr. J. L. Frederick, Jay Patek and Chas. Hoffman. Refreshments were served.

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The Actor Recalls Incidents in Connection With His "Sitting."

When Henry E. Dixey was in London playing "Adonis" he sat for James McNeill Whistler, the American artist who died a few days ago, and the two men became friends. Dixey's recollections of the eccentric painter are interesting at this time, says the Chicago Inter Ocean.

"He sent me word one day," said the actor recently, "that he would like to come to my dressing room and watch me make up my face for the impersonation I was giving of Henry Irving. He came and stood behind me, watching the process of the transformation in the mirror. He acted like a delighted child all through the operation. With the addition of every new line and effect he would utter an exclamation of pleasure and then confront me and examine more closely the counterfeited countenance. When the task was completed he pronounced the resemblance 'marvelous,' even at close range."

"He invited me to luncheon the next day and asked me to permit him to paint me in my white and blue costume. I sent for it, and he stood me on a pink mat and before a lavender background. Then he discarded the monochrome, put on a pair of big spectacles, and, really, the man underwent a complete change of manner the moment he began to mix his colors. I never saw inspiration so clearly depicted on a face in my life. He talked half to himself as he worked."

"Oh, we'll do something fine this time," he would say. "Wait, wait, wait; hold that pose, please. Oh, this will be all right—you'll see." When I thought he had finished his figure at least I looked at the canvas and found he had made nothing but the outlines. When I expressed my surprise he explained: "Ah, my boy, I don't work as many others do. I commence at the background and work out to my subject."

"After an hour's time his cook summoned him to dinner, but he still painted on. To my surprise the cook, a healthy, middle aged woman, began lecturing him in French and actually took the brush out of his hand and compelled him to stop. The artist endured this just as a child might and allowed his dominating cook to lead us to the dining room."

"I sat for him several more times, but I had to leave England before the picture was finished. I received letters from him telling me of the progress he was making, but when I last saw him, two years ago in London, I was much disappointed to learn that the portrait was in Paris."

"I have met a great many famous men," continued Mr. Dixey, "but I can recall none so striking in character as my departed friend Whistler."

ANECDOTES OF MILES.

How the General Indulged In a Practical Joke.

FELLOW OFFICER THE VICTIM.

Amusing Incident on One of the Western Trips of the Former Commander in Chief Related by an Army Man—Clever Coup Executed by Miles on a Train.

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REV. SAM JONES recommends that the democrats do not hold any convention next year as it would be a saving of time and whisky.

MINNESOTA'S permanent school fund is now \$15,000,000, the largest of any state in the union except Texas. The average rate of interest is 4 per cent.

JUDGING from the number of "sure thing" games that have floated into Brainerd this summer one would imagine that the city had a reputation for suckers.

AN order has been issued, for men only, on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad forbidding their employees to flirt while on duty. This is getting to be a cruel world.

THE Stillwater Gazette says there are quite a number of Indians who profess religion and join a church when they become enfeebled by age and cannot join the scalping parties.

THE Graceville Enterprise thinks it would be a relief indeed if Governor Van Sant, Bob Dunn, Frank Eddy and Joel Heatwole would come out flatfooted and say whether they are candidates for the governorship in 1905.

CHARLIE TOWNE is so well known in this section that the following from a New York paper is appreciated: "Towne, when he went out of politics, went to New York and got interested in a Texas oil company. He did well. In a little while he had a series of wells spouting oil at a terrific rate. The Standard agents, as the story runs, learned that some of the greatest producers among the Towne wells were about to give out. The Standard has its own way of knowing things about other people's oil business before the other people find them out. Anyhow, being convinced on this point, the Standard contracted to take a certain number of millions of barrels of oil at 15 cents a barrel from Towne. It was a fancy price and meant wealth for Towne's company. But the Standard attached a penalty clause, penalizing the Towne company a fixed amount per barrel for all of the contracted amount it failed to deliver. The contract was just comfortably in operation when the big Towne wells began spouting salt water. Now the best of them have run out and there is no chance of filling the orders. Mr. Towne, according to report, is the chief victim of the collapse."

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J. M. Graham, of Duluth, is in the city.

Rev. N. P. Gleemaker left for Aitkin this afternoon.

Mrs. W. A. Spencer left for St. Cloud this afternoon for a visit.

J. N. Waldrop was in the city yesterday for a short time on business.

Mrs. Rodeen, of Pillager, returned home today after a pleasant visit in the city.

Mrs. J. Smith, who has been visiting in the city, returned to Deerwood this afternoon.

Miss Emily Quinn left for the Twin cities today for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. E. Brockway left this afternoon for Pillager where she will visit for a short time.

Miss Minnie Splen left for her home in Superior this afternoon after a pleasant visit in the city.

Miss Lena Nelson and Miss Sather, of Minneapolis, are in the city guests of Mrs. A. F. Sorenson.

Miss Anna Stitchen, of St. Cloud, is visiting the Misses McFadden, 409, Fourth street north.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gilmer have moved to Brainerd now and are easily situated in their new home on the south side.

George Bell came in from Minneapolis this afternoon. He was a delegate to the Red Men's pow wow in that city.

Miss Maggie Bridgeman, of Perham, who has been visiting her brother, M. Bridgeman, left for her home this afternoon.

Contractor Fred Kreutz, of St. Cloud, came down from the north this morning and left for his home this noon on No. 6.

Mayor Kinkle, of Walker, passed through the city today on the way home from Pillager where he has been on business.

The fronts of the Gruenhagen and Koop buildings on Seventh street have been repainted and present a very neat appearance.

Mrs. Lizzie Wiegand and Mrs. Fred Schleuter, of Beardstown, Ill., are in the city guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dickhouse. They are sisters of Mr. Dickhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gillis and daughter, of Minneapolis, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Blake and daughter, of Little Falls, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Miller this week.

John Gilmer shipped a carload of horses today to Grafton, N. D. They will be put in the harvest fields and shipped back again in the fall for the winter work in the woods.

Mrs. Martha Carpenter, who has been visiting in the city with her sister, Mrs. William Murray, returned to her home in Ohio this afternoon. Mrs. Murray went as far as St. Paul for a visit.

Ponita and Frances, palmists and fortune tellers, owing to their large amount of business will remain a few days longer. Do not fail to consult these people while here. Tents located corner of 8th and Front Sts. Price 25c.

Judge Alderman left this afternoon for Backus where he will appear before United States Commissioner Scribner in a land contest case. The case involves a valuable quarter six miles from Backus. The case is entitled Frank Hays vs Patrick Memeough.

On Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Losey entertained a party of friends at their home on Fourth street north. The guests present were Rev. and Mrs. Richard Brown and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Dean, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Moberg and Mr. Peterson. Refreshments were served.

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Miss Cecile Rathvon, of Deewood, is visiting in the city the guest of Miss Vivian Jordan.

Parker Waite has been elected treasurer of the Cass county independent school district, to succeed C. H. William, deceased.

W. A. Spencer who has been on the sick list for a few days, is much improved today and will be able to be out in a day or two.

Mrs. Kit Lightfoot and Mrs. Murphy returned from St. Paul this afternoon where they visited for a few days with friends and relatives.

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Hon. R. B. Brower, of St. Cloud, spent the morning in the city having returned from Aitkin where he has been on legal business. He left for his home this afternoon.

The "Hunting for Hawkins" company booked for the Brainerd opera house tonight has cancelled it date. "A Texas Steer" will positively appear here tomorrow night.

Miss Clara Small delightfully entertained at her home on the north side last evening. The following were the guests: Misses Winnifred Cole, Majorie Cole, Eloise Smith, Winnifred Smith, Kitty Keene, Kitty Walker, Edna Stickney, Bess Burgoyne and Carrie Morrison. Messrs. C. A. Albright, Harold Smith, J. Ralph Nevers, Howard Isham, Dr. J. L. Frederick, Jay Patek and Chas. Hoffman. Refreshments were served.

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The Actor Recalls Incidents in Connection With His "Shit."

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"He sent me word one day," said the actor recently, "that he would like to come to my dressing room and watch me make up my face for the impersonation I was giving of Henry Irving. He came and stood behind me, watching the process of the transformation in the mirror. He acted like a delighted child all through the operation. With the addition of every new line and effect he would utter an exclamation of pleasure and then confront me and examine more closely the counterfeited countenance. When the task was completed he pronounced the resemblance 'marvelous,' even at close range.

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"Oh, we'll do something fine this time," he would say. "Wait, wait, wait; hold that pose, please. Oh, this will be all right—you'll see." When I thought he had finished my figure at least I looked at the canvas and found he had made nothing but the outlines. When I expressed my surprise he explained: 'Ah, my boy, I don't work as many others do. I commence at the background and work out to my subject.'

"After an hour's time his cook summoned him to dinner, but he still painted on. To my surprise the cook, a healthy, middle aged woman, began lecturing him in French and actually took the brush out of his hand and compelled him to stop. The artist endured this just as a child might and allowed his dominating cook to lead us to the dining room.

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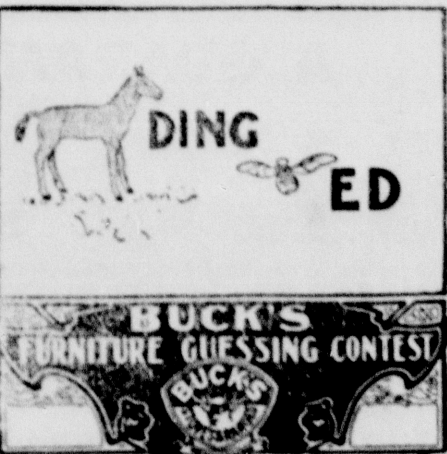
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TIGHE FORCING THE ISSUE

And Makes the Bluff on Sewerage
Question to Gain a Point
in His Own Favor.

Senator Ferris returned from St. Paul this morning where he went on behalf of the city council, to have an interview with President Ambrose Tighe, of the Minnesota water works company anent the recent action taken by this latter gentleman on the sewerage question and his refusal to sign a contract allowing the sewer proposed for district No. 1 to be run across a certain strip of land belonging to him between Fifth and Seventh streets on the flats just off Bluff avenue.

The object in view in going to St. Paul was to have Mr. Tighe accede to the wishes of the council and withdraw his refusal in the matter, but Senator Ferris reports that the gentleman took a positive stand in the matter and refused to be moved. It was brought out on the interview that Mr. Tighe has decided positively to make the sewerage and the water works matters contiguous principles in the settlement of the question which has been the most important that the city council has had to do with in many years. In other words Mr. Tighe has decided to use his leverage in this matter of refusing to allow the city to cross his land with a sewer, if he can, and will in this way force the issue and compel the city to submit to a proposition on the water works question that will in the main be agreeable to him.

He stated to Mr. Ferris, however, that he was not on the aggressive in any fight that might result over the settlement of these matters; that he thought he should be met half way by the council in that he has already submitted a proposition to the city, which was entirely ignored, and now it is up to the city council to come back to him with some kind of a suggestion or proposition.

President Tighe stated that he was willing to leave the entire matter to a committee to settle, sort of settle it on arbitration grounds, instead of going into an extended fight over the matter. This is a new phase of the question and it will doubtless be considered at the next meeting of the council.

Senator Ferris has taken a very great interest in the question of good sewerage in this city and has been at all times alert to do what he can to see the matter successfully carried through. He got the bill through the legislature against the most adverse circumstances and the importance of the measure can be readily discerned when it is considered that it affects every city in the state of 10,000 population or less as regards their sewerage systems.

Mr. Ferris had asked Dr. Bracken and an expert here the first of the week and they all went over the proposed sewerage system. This Mr. Ferris did in order to have the whole matter backed by the state board of health, Dr. Bracken, being secretary of his board. Suggestions were made by Dr. Bracken and they will be followed out. The only material change as a result of his visit will be the moving of the outlet of the sewer a little further down stream. It was also a suggestion of Senator Ferris that Engineer Cappen be brought here so that every detail of the new sewerage system have the stamp of expert proficiency, and in fact the entire question has been very carefully gone over.

It now seems too bad that such a little matter like the one which President Tighe raises is to cut such a figure and stop the work so well started. In all probability there will be a meeting of the city council in a night or two and the whole question will be taken up and discussed again.

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Particular Attention Paid to Power-
ful Search and Illuminating
Lights—Signal Corps Will Keep a
Sharp Lookout—Army Officers on
Duty Fear That Rear Admiral
Barker Will Creep In Under Cover
of Fog.

"We are ready and waiting," said
Brigadier General George L. Gillespie,
chief of engineers, who has recently
returned from an inspection of the de-
fenses of Portland, Me., which will be
the point of attack of the hostile force
under Rear Admiral Albert S. Barker
in the combined army and navy man-
euvers, beginning Aug. 23, says the
Washington correspondent of the New
York Herald.

General Gillespie spent several days
in the vicinity of Portland and at head-
quarters, inspecting every detail of the
defense.

"I found the men working enthusias-
tically," continued the general, "and
everything in fine shape. Last year we
were working right up to the time the
maneuvers opened; but, getting an ear-
lier start this time, we find ourselves
ready and waiting for the enemy. Two
power houses have been constructed at
Portland for the generating of all the
electric power needed in the various
electrical devices used in the forts that
defend Portland. This has put us to
some expense, but it will prove of per-
manent benefit to the army post here.
"Every gun in Forts McKinley, Preble,
Levee and Williams has been put in
excellent condition and inspected by
the ordnance officers. The board of
submarine defense has come all the
way from its headquarters at Willet's
Point, N. Y., to superintend personally
the installation of the submarine de-
fenses."

Entirely to the board of submarine
defense has been left the mining of the
three channels leading to Portland.
Even to Brigadier General Wallace
Randolph, chief of artillery, the board
has not disclosed the number or loca-
tion of the mines to be placed in the
channels, and on both these points the
greatest possible secrecy is being ob-
served that the enemy may not be
able to avoid the mines in the ap-
proaches should he successfully elude
the guns of the outlying forts and get
close into the harbor. It is known
however, that several important im-
provements have been made since last
year in the connection of the mines
with the proper stations on shore. In
the concealment of their location also
the authorities have been more success-
ful.

Important will be the work of the
search light in the defense of Portland.
General Gillespie has ordered installed
in the vicinity of the city twelve enor-
mous lights, with the aid of which
the watchers on shore can easily pick
up a vessel away out at sea. Last
year the search lights were not alto-
gether a success, and the result of
their employment in the defense pro-
ject this year will be watched in en-
gineering circles with keen interest. The
trouble with the search lights last year,
according to naval officers, was that
they were not properly managed. Ex-
tra precautions will be taken in the
coming maneuvers to prevent the cross-
ing of the various search lights and the
consequent destruction of their useful-
ness.

Two kinds of lights will be in use,
the searching and illuminating lights.
The former are considerably more pow-
erful than the latter. The searching
lights have been constructed well in-
side the line of defense and so dis-
tributed as to cover every avenue of
approach to Portland and give the
proper authorities there as soon as pos-
sible the news of Rear Admiral Bar-
ker's fleet.

During the day it is ordered that all
search lights shall effectively be hid-
den from view, but that they shall be
located as near the shore line as pos-
sible. The illuminating lights shall be
hidden while the searching lights are
in operation. Special effort will be
made to avoid the crossing of the
beams of light from the search lights,
which results in the creation of a dark
angle. When this beam comes between
the gun and its target the latter is
hidden.

The illuminating lights installed will
be used to light up the advanced or
distant flank positions and in illuminat-
ing the mine fields. On the inner line
of defense will be placed reserve lights
which may come in well in the event
of interruption of communication with
the more advanced searching lights.
In installing the searching lights an
effort will be made to give them a high
position and one near the shore line.

What army officers on duty in the de-
fense district dread, however, is a fog
or thick mist at night, when Rear Ad-
miral Barker would have an excellent
opportunity to make a dash for Port-
land. The signal corps will have sta-
tions in the vicinity of Portland and
elsewhere along the New England
coast, where a sharp lookout will be
kept for a sight of the enemy. Co-
operating with the signal corps will be
the weather bureau and the lighthouse
service, and observers at the various
stations on the New England coast, as
well as the lighthouse keepers, will be
instructed to watch out for sight or
news of the hostile fleet.

Wireless telegraph stations are being
established on shore, and these, to-
gether with the telegraph and tele-
phone systems, will be used to acquaint
the headquarters of the defense force
at Portland with all news relating to
the enemy.

STORIES OF PHIL MAY.

English Caricaturist's Experiences
While Hunting For "Types."

In his later and more affluent days
the late Phil May, the English car-
icaturist, employed a man for the special
purpose of luring models to his studio.
These models often cost him several
pounds a day, says the New York Her-
ald. They would not always pose sat-
isfactorily. Once in his studio the girls
would become ridiculously shy, gig-
gling all the time he was at work. In
the same way the male models were
likely to drop at their assurance on the
doorstep and become lifeless and vacu-
ous when they posed.

"The other day," the artist told a
friend, "I got two new girls, to whom
sitting was a strange and fearful ex-
perience. As usual, they giggled the
whole time I was sketching them, but
I only kept them an hour and then
dismissed with 5 shillings apiece. The
news of this evidently got about, and
the next morning a fearfully groggy
old woman knocked at my door with
the inquiry, "Do you want any more
models?"

As he was always looking out for
"types," so he was always on the qui-
vive for jokes. Everything was grist
that came to his mill. When his fecund
imagination ran temporarily dry, when
accident failed to supply the needed
hint, he was glad to fall back upon the
suggestions of friends or correspond-
ents. He made a practice of jotting
down upon his cuffs anything that he
overheard or was told. "As almost ev-
ery one thinks he has something more
or less funny to tell me as soon as we
meet, you may imagine," said he, "the
state of my cuffs after a day's outing.
The cuffs are carefully copied out by
my wife before they are sent to the
laundry." Some of the jokes thus of-
fered to him, however, proved more
perplexing than usual. For instance,
a Frenchman once ran up to him cry-
ing excitedly:

"Here is a joke for you, Mr. Phil
May. It will do splendidly well for
your paper. Why was a nice when he
was weaving a spider's web? You do
not know, eh? You give me up? I
will tell you. Because the more you
lick him the faster!"

Not wishing to wound the French-
man's feelings, Phil May jotted the
joke down upon his cuff and afterward
gravely asserted that he had spent
many days and nights trying to un-
ravel the mystery.

MAIL DELIVERING DEVICE.

Automatic Machine Designed Espe-
cially For Rural Service.

Nelson S. Howell of Cumming, Mad-
ison county, Ia., has a working model
eighty rods long of an automatic mail
delivery and collection apparatus,
which is built according to a device
which he recently had patented and is
working satisfactorily, says a dispatch
from Red Oak, Ia., to the Chicago Re-
cord-Herald. It is designed especially
for rural mail service, supplanting car-
riers, but seems to be capable of devel-
opment to an extent that would do
away with many of the country post
offices and centralize the handling of
mail to a great extent, expediting the
service, reducing the number of car-
riers and clerks and greatly reducing
expense.

The apparatus consists of an endless
cable, carried on poles and delivering
and collecting mail by clockwork. The
cable in a line thirty miles long can
be operated at a speed which will
permit as many deliveries in a day as
are desired. The power is applied by a
drum. The deliveries are regulated au-
tomatically. For instance, if there are
fifty patrons on the endless chain route
the mail pouch of No. 1 drops at his
mail box, while the other forty-nine
pouches are carried on, each dropping
at its respective place. The collections
are also made automatically. The ap-
paratus is not intricate and does not
readily get out of order.

LANGLEY'S AERODROME.

Features of Novel Air Ship Invented
by Noted Scientist.

Professor Samuel T. Langley's fifteen
foot model aerodrome, which had its
first flight at Widewater, Va., recently,
is about fifteen feet long from stem to
stern and nearly as wide between the
tips of the wings, says the New York
World. Its body is composed mainly
of an intricate network of delicate steel
rods supporting the motor, cylinders
and apparatus extending to the pro-
pellers and steering gear. This por-
tion contains also the apparatus for
balancing.

The wings are about six feet long
by four feet wide. They are made of
the finest oil silk stretched tight over
an exceedingly light but durable wood-
en frame. When set for sailing they
have a somewhat tentlike form, being
considerably elevated in the center.

Of these wings there are four, two
on each side. Behind the front set of
wings are situated the two propellers,
one on each side. These are of the
finest steel and have two blades, each
about two feet long.

The motor which generates some-
thing in excess of two horse power, is
stationed near the center of the body.
At the rear of this central structure
the steering gear is attached. This is
made of material very much like the
wings and has four blades. It can be
turned with ease in any direction,
guiding the air ship just as a rudder di-
rects the course of a marine vessel.

Many Envelopes For an Election.
About 20,000,000 envelopes intended
to cover voting papers and insure ad-
ditional secrecy of the ballot are being
prepared for the next elections to the
German reichstag. Not less than sev-
enty tons of paper will be used.

BETTING CONTINUES LIGHT.

Odds Favor Jeffries in the Coming
Championship Battle.

San Francisco, Aug. 13.—Betting on
the heavyweight championship battle
continues to be light, contrary to ex-
pectations. Jeffries remains a 2 to 1
favorite.

Jeffries, accompanied by his brother
Jack, Billy Delaney and Joe Kennedy,
are now quarantined at the rooms of the
Reliance Club in Oakland, where they
will remain until Friday evening. Last
night he boxed ten rounds with his
brother Jack and Joe Kennedy, skipped
the rope 1,200 times and finished with
a clog dance. Then he had a rub down
and retired, sleeping nine hours. Fri-
day he will rest the entire day.

All the hard work is over now at the
Corbett camp. Ex-Champion Corbett
punched the light bag for a few rounds
in the morning and then sparred with
Sam Berger and Yank Kennedy. His
exercise in the afternoon consisted of
walking and running. The advance
sale of seats for the contest indicates
a \$60,000 house.

An important side issue of the big
fight will be the contest between Harry
Forbes and Frank Neill for the ban-
tanweight championship Thursday.
The betting is six to ten in favor of
Forbes.

SLAUGHTER OF NATIVES.

Dutch Soldiers Kill Three Hundred
Achinese in Battle.

Amsterdam, Aug. 13.—Three hun-
dred Achinese were killed in a recent
battle with the Dutch troops in the vil-
lage of Poeloeatan, in the middle of
the island of Sumatra.

The Dutch lost an officer and six men
killed and an officer and fifty men
wounded.

They captured the village.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

"Judge" John A. Showles, a well
known character of Milwaukee, is dead
of heart failure.

Pope Plus X has recovered from his
indisposition and took a drive in the
vatican garden Wednesday.

Skunks are believed by the state
board of health to be largely responsi-
ble for the spread of rabies in Minne-
sota.

The Austrian Lloyd steamer Posei-
don founded Wednesday on the
Syrian coast. Her passengers and
crew were saved.

Colonel C. W. Carpenter, for years
head of the Northwestern Stage Trans-
portation company, died Wednesday
of apoplexy at Deadwood, S. D.

The ninth annual session of the
Winona Bible conference will convene
at Winona Lake, Ind., on Aug. 16 and
continue its meetings for eleven days.

Charles Jarrott, the motorist, was
quietly married in London Wednesday
to Countess of Rosslyn, the divorced
wife of the Earl of Rosslyn, the actor.

Francis A. Cook, who commanded
the Brooklyn in the battle of Santiago
Bay, successfully passed his physical
examination and is now a rear ad-
miral.

The fourth race for the Canada's
cup at Toronto, Ont., was won by the
American boat Ironclad, which de-
feated the Strathcona by a narrow
margin.

The case of Curtiss Jett and Tom
White, accused of the murder of J.
E. Marcum at Jackson, Ky., will be
submitted to the jury at Cynthiana,
Ky., today.

George D. Woodin, seventy-six
years of age, president of the First
National Bank of Skourney, Ia., died
Wednesday. He was a delegate to
the national Republican convention at
Chicago in 1880.

BASEBALL SCORES.

National League.
At Brooklyn, 5; Pittsburgh, 6.
At New York, 14; St. Louis, 4.
At Boston, 4; Chicago, 7. Second
game—Boston, 11; Chicago, 10.

American League.
At Cleveland, 6; Chicago, 6.
American Association.
At St. Paul, 11; Columbus, 1.
At Minneapolis, 5; Toledo, 1.
At Milwaukee, 0; Indianapolis, 7.
At Kansas City, 0; Louisville, 7.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.
Minneapolis, Aug. 12.—Wheat—
Sept., 81½¢; Dec., 79¼¢; 79½¢; c.
On track—No. 1 hard, 95½¢; 96¼¢;
No. 1 Northern, 94¼¢; 95¼¢; No. 2
Northern, 92¼¢; 93¼¢; No. 3 North-
ern, 82¢; 87¢.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.
St. Paul, Aug. 12.—Cattle—Good to
choice steers, \$4.25 to \$5.00; common to
fair, \$3.00 to \$4.00; cows and heifers,
\$2.60 to \$4.00; veals, \$2.50 to \$5.25. Hogs—
\$5.10 to \$5.65. Sheep—Good to choice
yearling wethers, \$3.50 to \$3.75; heavy,
\$3.25 to \$3.50; choice lambs, \$5.00 to \$5.65;
fair to good, \$4.00 to \$5.00.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.
Duluth, Aug. 12.—Wheat—In store—
No. 1 hard, 87½¢; No. 1 Northern,
87½¢; No. 2 Northern, 85½¢. To ar-
rive—No. 1 hard, 87½¢; No. 1 North-
ern, 87½¢; No. 2 Northern, 85½¢;
Sept., 82¼¢; Dec., 79¼¢. Flax—In
store, to arrive and on track, 99¢;
Sept., 99¼¢; Oct., 99¼¢; Nov., \$1-
00¼¢; Dec., \$1.00¼¢.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.
Chicago, Aug. 12.—Cattle—Good to
prime steers, \$5.00 to \$5.45; poor to me-
dium, \$3.60 to \$4.80; stockers and feed-
ers, \$2.50 to \$4.25; cows, \$1.50 to \$4.50;
heifers, \$2.00 to \$4.75; calves, \$2.50 to
\$6.75. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$5.10
to \$5.75; good to choice heavy, \$5.45 to
\$6.65; rough heavy, \$5.00 to \$5.40; light,
\$5.40 to \$5.75. Sheep—Good to choice,
\$3.25 to \$3.75; Western, \$2.75 to \$3.60;
native lambs, \$3.25 to \$6.00; Western, \$4.50
to \$5.65.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.
Chicago, Aug. 12.—Wheat—Sept.,
80¼¢; 80½¢; old, 80½¢ to 80¾¢; Dec.,
80½¢; 81¢; old, 81¢ to 81¼¢; May, 83¢;
83¼¢. Corn—Aug., 52¢; Sept., 52½¢;
Dec., 53¢ to 53¼¢; May, 53¼¢ to 53½¢.
Oats—Aug., 34¢; Sept., 34½¢; Dec.,
36½¢; May, 38½¢. Pork—Sept., \$13-
27½¢; Oct., \$13-12½¢; May, \$12-22½¢.
Flax—Cash, Northwestern, \$1.07;
Southwestern, 97¢; Sept., 97¢; Oct.,
98¢. Butter—Creameries, 14¢ to 19¢;
dairies, 13¢ to 17¢. Eggs—12 to 15¢. Poul-
try—Turkeys, 12¢; chickens, 10½¢ to
11¢; springs, 12½¢ to 13¢.

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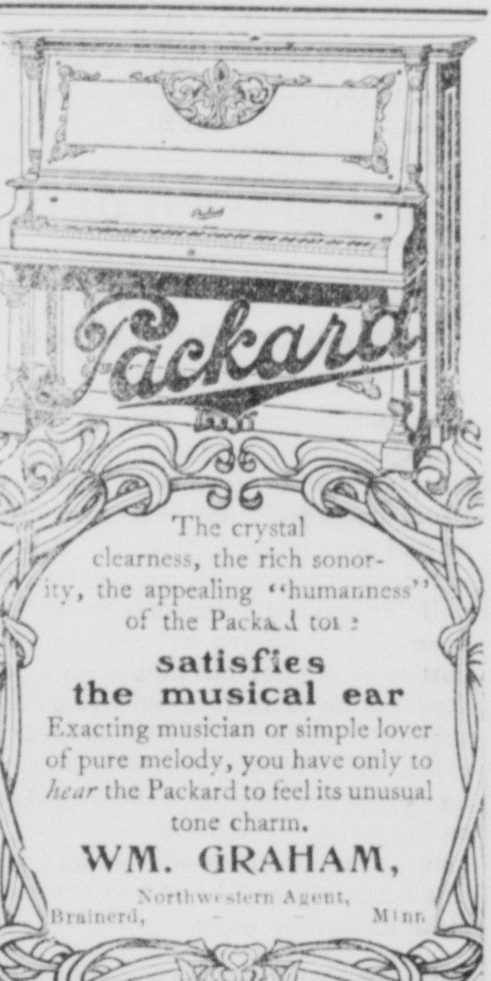
THREE WORKMEN KILLED.

Big Draught Bell Instantly Crushes
Out Their Lives.

Cleveland, Aug. 13.—The Cleveland
Furnace company's plant, just com-
pleted at a cost of nearly a million
dollars, was the scene of an accident
in which three men's lives were in-
stantly crushed out. The dead men
were Frank Viron, George Peters and
Michael Kroc.

The first blowing in of the new blast
furnace was to have taken place to-
night and the three men were inside
the stack laying the last course of ma-
terial, when, without an instant's
warning the six-ton draught bell at
the top of the stack, seventy-five feet
above where the men were at work,
crushed down upon them. All must
have been killed instantly.

The financial loss cannot as yet be
estimated, but the beginning of
operations at the plant will be delayed
for some time.



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Lights—Signal Corps Will Keep a
Sharp Lookout—Army Officers on
Duty Fear That Rear Admiral
Barker Will Creep In Under Cover
of Fog.

"We are ready and waiting," said
Brigadier General George L. Gillespie,
chief of engineers, who has recently
returned from an inspection of the de-
fenses of Portland, Me., which will be
the point of attack of the hostile force
under Rear Admiral Albert S. Barker in
the combined army and navy man-
euvers, beginning Aug. 23, says the
Washington correspondent of the New
York Herald.

General Gillespie spent several days
in the vicinity of Portland and at head-
quarters, inspecting every detail of the
defense.

"I found the men working enthu-
siastically," continued the general, "and
everything in fine shape. Last year we
were working right up to the time the
maneuvers opened; but, getting an ear-
lier start this time, we find ourselves
ready and waiting for the enemy. Two
power houses have been constructed at
Portland for the generating of all the
electric power needed in the various
electrical devices used in the forts that
defend Portland. This has put us to
some expense, but it will prove of per-
manent benefit to the army post there.

"Every gun in Forts McKinley, Preble,
Leveit and Williams has been put in
excellent condition and inspected by
the ordnance officers. The board of
submarine defense has come all the
way from its headquarters at Willet's
Point, N. Y., to superintend person-
ally the installation of the submarine
defenses."

Entirely to the board of submarine
defense has been left the mining of the
three channels leading to Portland.
Even to Brigadier General Wallace
Randolph, chief of artillery, the board
has not disclosed the number or loca-
tion of the mines to be placed in the
channels, and on both these points the
greatest possible secrecy is being ob-
served that the enemy may not be
able to avoid the mines in the ap-
proaches should he successfully elude
the guns of the outlying forts and get
close into the harbor. It is known,
however, that several important im-
provements have been made since last
year in the connection of the mines
with the proper stations on shore. In
the concealment of their location also
the authorities have been more success-
ful.

Important will be the work of the
search light in the defense of Portland.
General Gillespie has ordered installed
in the vicinity of the city twelve enor-
mous lights, with the aid of which
the watchers on shore can easily pick
up a vessel away out at sea. Last
year the search lights were not alto-
gether a success, and the result of
their employment in the defense pro-
ject this year will be watched in en-
gineering circles with keen interest. The
trouble with the search lights last year,
according to naval officers, was that
they were not properly managed. Ex-
treme precautions will be taken in the
coming maneuvers to prevent the cross-
ing of the various search lights and the
consequent destruction of their useful-
ness.

Two kinds of lights will be in use,
the searching and illuminating lights.
The former are considerably more pow-
erful than the latter. The searching
lights have been constructed well in-
side the line of defense and so dis-
tributed as to cover every avenue of
approach to Portland and give the
proper authorities there as soon as pos-
sible the news of Rear Admiral Barker's
fleet.

During the day it is ordered that all
search lights shall effectively be hid-
den from view, but that they shall be
located as near the shore line as pos-
sible. The illuminating lights shall be
hidden while the searching lights are
in operation. Special effort will be
made to avoid the crossing of the beams
of light from the search lights, which
results in the creation of a dark
angle. When this beam comes between
the gun and its target the latter is
hidden.

The illuminating lights installed will
be used to light up the advanced or
distant flank positions and in illumi-
nating the mine fields. On the inner line
of defense will be placed reserve lights
which may come in well in the event
of interruption of communication with
the more advanced searching lights.
In installing the searching lights an
effort will be made to give them a high
position and one near the shore line.

What army officers on duty in the de-
fense district dread, however, is a fog
or thick mist at night, when Rear Ad-
miral Barker would have an excellent
opportunity to make a dash for Port-
land. The signal corps will have sta-
tions in the vicinity of Portland and
elsewhere along the New England
coast, where a sharp lookout will be
kept for a sight of the enemy. Co-
operating with the signal corps will be
the weather bureau and the lighthouse
service, and observers at the various
stations on the New England coast, as
well as the lighthouse keepers, will be
instructed to watch out for sight or
news of the hostile fleet.

Wireless telegraph stations are being
established on shore, and these, to-
gether with the telegraph and tele-
phone systems, will be used to acquaint
the headquarters of the defense force
at Portland with all news relating to
the enemy.

STORIES OF PHIL MAY.

English Caricaturist's Experiences
While Hunting For "Types."

In his later and more affluent days
the late Phil May, the English car-
icaturist, employed a man for the special
purpose of luring models to his studio.
These models often cost him several
pounds a day, says the New York Her-
ald. They would not always pose sat-
isfactorily. Once in his studio the girls
would become ridiculously shy, gig-
gling all the time he was at work. In
the same way the male models were
likely to drop at their assurance on the
doorstep and become lifeless and vacu-
ous when they posed.

"The other day," the artist told a
friend, "I got two new girls, to whom
sitting was a strange and fearful ex-
perience. As usual, they giggled the
whole time I was sketching them, but I
only kept them an hour and then dis-
missed with 5 shillings apiece. The
news of this evidently got about, and
the next morning a fearfully groggy
old woman knocked at my door with
the inquiry, "Do you want any
models?"

As he was always looking out for
"types," so he was always on the qui-
vive for jokes. Everything was grist
that came to his mill. When his friend
imagined him temporarily dry, when
accident failed to supply the needed
hint, he was glad to fall back upon the
suggestions of friends or correspond-
ents. He made a practice of jotting
down upon his cuffs anything that he
overheard or was told. "As almost ev-
ery one thinks he has something more
or less funny to tell me as soon as we
meet, you may imagine," said he, "the
state of my cuffs after a day's outing.
The cuffs are carefully copied out by
my wife before they are sent to the
laundry." Some of the jokes thus of-
fered to him, however, proved more
perplexing than usual. For instance,
a Frenchman once ran up to him cry-
ing excitedly:

"Here is a joke for you, Mr. Phil
May. It will do splendidly well for
your paper. Why was a mice when he
was weaving a spider's web? You do
not know, eh? You give me up? I
will tell you. Because the more you
lick him the faster!"

Not wishing to wound the French-
man's feelings, Phil May jotted the
joke down upon his cuff and afterward
gravely asserted that he had spent
many days and nights trying to un-
ravel the mystery.

MAIL DELIVERING DEVICE.

Automatic Machine Designed Espe-
cially For Rural Service.

Nelson S. Howell of Cumming, Mad-
ison county, Ia., has a working model
eighty rods long of an automatic mail
delivery and collection apparatus,
which is built according to a device
which he recently had patented and is
working satisfactorily, says a dispatch
from Red Oak, Ia., to the Chicago Re-
cord-Herald. It is designed especially
for rural mail service, supplanting car-
riers, but seems to be capable of devel-
opment to an extent that would do
away with many of the country post
offices and centralize the handling of
mail to a great extent, expediting the
service, reducing the number of car-
riers and clerks and greatly reducing
expense.

The apparatus consists of an endless
cable, carried on poles and delivering
and collecting mail by clockwork. The
cable in a line thirty miles long can
be operated by a one and a half horse
power gasoline engine, and the cable
can be operated at a speed which will
permit as many deliveries in a day as
are desired. The power is applied by a
drum. The deliveries are regulated au-
tomatically. For instance, if there are
fifty patrons on the endless chain route
the mail pouch of No. 1 drops at his
mail box, while the other forty-nine
pouches are carried on, each dropping
at its respective place. The collections
are also made automatically. The ap-
paratus is not intricate and does not
readily get out of order.

LANGLEY'S AERODROME.

Features of Novel Air Ship Invented
by Noted Scientist.

Professor Samuel T. Langley's fifteen
foot model aerodrome, which had its
first flight at Widewater, Va., recently,
is about fifteen feet long from stem to
stern and nearly as wide between the
tips of the wings, says the New York
World. Its body is composed mainly
of an intricate network of delicate steel
rods supporting the motor, cylinders
and apparatus extending to the pro-
pellers and steering gear. This por-
tion contains also the apparatus for
balancing.

The wings are about six feet long
by four feet wide. They are made of
the finest oil silk stretched tight over
an exceedingly light but durable wood-
en frame. When set for sailing they
have a somewhat tentlike form, being
considerably elevated in the center.

Of these wings there are four, two
on each side. Behind the front set of
wings are situated the two propellers,
one on each side. These are of the
finest steel and have two blades, each
about two feet long.

The motor which generates some-
thing in excess of two horse power, is
stationed near the center of the body.
At the rear of this central structure
the steering gear is attached. This is
made of material very much like the
wings and has four blades. It can be
turned with ease in any direction,
guiding the air ship just as a rudder di-
rects the course of a marine vessel.

Many Envelopes For an Election.
About 20,000,000 envelopes intended
to cover voting papers and insure ad-
ditional secrecy of the ballot are being
prepared for the next elections to the
German reichstag. Not less than sev-
enty tons of paper will be used.

BETTING CONTINUES LIGHT.

Odds Favor Jeffries in the Coming
Championship Battle.

San Francisco, Aug. 13.—Betting on
the heavyweight championship battle
continues to be light, contrary to ex-
pectations. Jeffries remains a 2 to 1
favorite.

Jeffries, accompanied by his brother
Jack, Billy Delaney and Joe Kennedy,
are now quartered at the rooms of the
Reliance Club in Oakland, where they
will remain until Friday evening. Last
night he boxed ten rounds with his
brother Jack and Joe Kennedy, skipped
the rope 1,200 times and finished with
a clog dance. Then he had a rub down
and retired, sleeping nine hours. Fri-
day he will rest the entire day.

All the hard work is over now at the
Corbett camp. Ex-Champion Corbett
punched the light bag for a few rounds
in the morning and then sparred with
Sam Berger and Yank Kennedy. His
exercise in the afternoon consisted of
walking and running. The advance
sale of seats for the contest indicates
a \$60,000 house.

An important side issue of the big
fight will be the contest between Harry
Forbes and Frank Neill for the ban-
amweight championship Thursday.
The betting is six to ten in favor of
Forbes.

SLAUGHTER OF NATIVES.

Dutch Soldiers Kill Three Hundred
Achinese in Battle.

Amsterdam, Aug. 13.—Three hun-
dred Achinese were killed in a recent
battle with the Dutch troops in the vil-
lage of Poeloetangan, in the middle of
the island of Sumatra.

The Dutch lost an officer and six men
killed and an officer and fifty men
wounded.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

"Judge" John A. Showles, a well
known character of Milwaukee, is dead
of heart failure.

Pope Plus X has recovered from his
indisposition and took a drive in the
vatican garden Wednesday.

Skunks are believed by the state
board of health to be largely responsi-
ble for the spread of rabies in Minne-
sota.

The Austrian Lloyd steamer Posei-
don, founded Wednesday on the
Syrian coast. Her passengers and
crew were saved.

Colonel C. W. Carpenter, for years
head of the Northwestern Stage Trans-
portation company, died Wednesday
of apoplexy at Deadwood, S. D.

The ninth annual session of the
Winona Bible conference will convene
at Winona Lake, Ind., on Aug. 16 and
continue its meetings for eleven days.

Charles Jarrott, the motorist, was
quietly married in London Wednesday
to Countess of Rosslyn, the divorced
wife of the Earl of Rosslyn, the actor.

Francis A. Cook, who commanded
the Brooklyn in the battle of Santiago
Bay, successfully passed his physical
examination and is now a rear ad-
miral.

The fourth race for the Canada's
cup at Toronto, Ont., was won by the
American boat Ironduquet, which de-
feated the Strathcona by a narrow
margin.

The case of Curtiss Jett and Tom
White, accused of the murder of J.
E. Marcum at Jackson, Ky., will be
submitted to the jury at Cynthiana,
Ky., today.

George D. Woodin, seventy-six
years of age, president of the First
National Bank of Sigourney, Ia., died
Wednesday. He was a delegate to
the national Republican convention at
Chicago in 1880.

BASEBALL SCORES.

National League.
At Brooklyn, 5; Pittsburg, 6.
At New York, 14; St. Louis, 4.
At Boston, 4; Chicago, 7. Second
game—Boston, 11; Chicago, 10.
American League.
At Cleveland, 6; Chicago, 0.
American Association.
At St. Paul, 11; Columbus, 1.
At Minneapolis, 5; Toledo, 1.
At Milwaukee, 0; Indianapolis, 7.
At Kansas City, 0; Louisville, 7.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.
Minneapolis, Aug. 12.—Wheat—
Sept., 81½¢@82¢; Dec., 79¼¢@79½¢.
On track—No. 1 hard, 95¼¢@96¼¢;
No. 1 Northern, 94¼¢@95¼¢; No. 2
Northern, 92¼¢@93¼¢; No. 3 North-
ern, 82¢@87¢.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.
St. Paul, Aug. 12.—Cattle—Good to
choice steers, \$4.25@5.00; common to
fair, \$3.00@4.00; cows and heifers,
\$2.60@4.00; veals, \$2.50@5.25. Hogs—
\$5.10@5.65. Sheep—Good to choice
yearling wethers, \$3.50@3.75; heavy,
\$3.25@3.50; choice lambs, \$5.00@5.65;
fair to good, \$4.00@5.00.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.
Duluth, Aug. 12.—Wheat—In store—
No. 1 hard, 87½¢; No. 1 Northern,
87½¢; No. 2 Northern, 85½¢. To ar-
rive—No. 1 hard, 87½¢; No. 1 North-
ern, 87½¢; No. 2 Northern, 85½¢;
Sept., 82¼¢; Dec., 79½¢. Flax—In
store, to arrive and on track, 99¢;
Sept., 99½¢; Oct., 99½¢; Nov., \$1-
00¼; Dec., \$1.00¼.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.
Chicago, Aug. 12.—Cattle—Good to
prime steers, \$5.00@5.45; poor to me-
dium, \$3.60@4.80; cows and feed-
ers, \$2.50@4.25; calves, \$1.50@4.50;
heifers, \$2.00@4.75; butchers, \$5.10
@5.75. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$5.10
@5.75; good to choice heavy, \$5.45@
5.65; rough heavy, \$5.00@5.40; light,
\$5.40@5.75. Sheep—Good to choice,
\$3.25@3.75; Western, \$2.75@3.60; na-
tive lambs, \$3.25@6.00; Western, \$4.50
@5.65.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.
Chicago, Aug. 12.—Wheat—Sept.,
80¼¢@80½¢; old, 80¼¢@80½¢; Dec.,
80¼¢@81¢; old, 81¢@81¼¢; May, 83¢
@83¼¢. Corn—Aug., 52¢; Sept., 52½¢;
Dec., 53¢@53¼¢; May, 53¼¢@53½¢.
Oats—Aug., 34¢; Sept., 34½¢; Dec.,
36¼¢; May, 38½¢. Pork—Sept., \$13-
21½; Oct., \$13-12¼; May, \$12-22½.
Flax—Cash, Northwestern, \$1.07;
Southwestern, 97¢; Sept., 97¢; Oct.,
98¢. Butter—Creameries, 14¢@19¢;
dairies, 13¢@17¢. Eggs—12¢@15¢. Poul-
try—Turkeys, 12¢; chickens, 10¼¢@
11¢; springs, 12¼¢@13¢.

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THREE WORKMEN KILLED.

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Out Their Lives.

Cleveland, Aug. 13.—The Cleveland
Furnace company's plant, just com-
pleted at a cost of nearly a million
dollars, was the scene of an accident
in which three men's lives were in-
stantly crushed out. The dead men
are: Frank Virone, George Peters and
Michael Krecji.

The first blowing in of the new blast
furnace was to have taken place to-
night and the three men were inside
the stack laying the last course of ma-
terial, when without an instant's
warning the six-ton draught bell at
the top of the stack, seventy-five feet
above where the men were at work,
crushed down upon them. All must
have been killed instantly.

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estimated, but the beginning of
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